

IN RECOGNITION OF "THE Ornament of Hope portraying The WOODROW WILSON HOUSE"

WHEREAS, Easter Seals, is an organization formed to help people with disabilities achieve independence; and

WHEREAS, Easter Seals East Georgia has a vision to strengthen and to build our capacity to provide programs and services to meet the growing needs of people of all ages that have disabilities; and

WHEREAS, Easter Seals East Georgia, in conjunction with local Century 21 offices and other area businesses, will be selling a limited edition Ornament of Hope; and

WHEREAS, the 2002 Ornament of Hope will depict The Woodrow Wilson House, the boyhood home of President Woodrow Wilson; and

WHEREAS, the funds raised from the 2002 Ornament of Hope will directly benefit people with disabilities by providing the resources necessary to provide programs and services aimed at increasing independence and meeting community needs; and

WHEREAS, I wish to honor and commend The Woodrow Wilson House, Easter Seals East Georgia and Century 21 for their endeavors on behalf of citizens with disabilities.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bob Young, Mayor of Augusta, do hereby proclaim the 2002 Ornament of Hope portraying The Woodrow Wilson House, as the official ornament of the City of Augusta and ask all citizens to join in supporting Easter Seals by purchasing an Ornament of Hope.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of Augusta, on this 13th day of September 2002.